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NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF APPEARANCE

G. Darryl Reed hereby gives notice of the withdrawal of his appearance in this proceeding on behalf of Norfolk Southern Railway Company ("NSRC"). NSRC will continue to be represented by James S. Whitehead of Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP. Mr. Whitehead has previously entered his appearance in this proceeding.

Dated: July 14, 2003

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on this date I have forwarded for filing with the Illinois Commerce Commission, 527 East Capitol Avenue, Springfield, Illinois 62701, the attached Notice of Withdrawal of Appearance in the above captioned matter.

DATED this 14th day of July 2003

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, G. Darryl Reed, an attorney, certify that I caused copies of the attached Notice of Withdrawal of Appearance to be served on each of the parties listed on the service list by mail, messenger, electronic mail or Federal Express this 14th day of July, 2003.

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